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Subpart O—Enrollment and Disenrollment in a Health Plan

§ 162.1501 Enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction.

The enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction is the transmission of subscriber enrollment information from the sponsor of the insurance coverage, benefits, or policy, to a health plan to establish or terminate insurance coverage.

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§ 162.1502 Standards for enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction.

- (a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009: ASC X12N 834—Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X095 and Addenda to Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X095A1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both:
- (1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and
- (2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance (834), August 2006, ASC X12N/005010X220 (Incorporated by reference in \$162.920)
- (c) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standard identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.

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Subpart P—Health Care Electronic Funds Transfers (EFT) and Remittance Advice

§ 162.1601 Health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction.

The health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction is the transmission of either of the following for health care:

- (a) The transmission of any of the following from a health plan to a health care provider:
 - (1) Payment.
- (2) Information about the transfer of funds
- (3) Payment processing information.
- (b) The transmission of either of the following from a health plan to a health care provider:
 - (1) Explanation of benefits.
 - (2) Remittance advice.

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§ 162.1602 Standards for health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards:

- (a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009: Health care claims and remittance advice. The ASC X12N 835—Health Care Claim Payment/Advice, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X091, and Addenda to Health Care Claim Payment/Advice, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X091A1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both of the following standards:
- (1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section.
- (2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835), April 2006, ASC X12N/005010X221. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (c) For the period from January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2013, the standard identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.
- (d) For the period on and after January 1, 2014, the following standards:
- (1) Except when transmissions as described in §162.1601(a) and (b) are contained within the same transmission, for Stage 1 Payment Initiation transmissions described in §162.1601(a), all of the following standards:
- (i) The National Automated Clearing House Association (NACHA) Corporate Credit or Deposit Entry with Addenda

Record (CCD+) implementation specifications as contained in the 2011 NACHA Operating Rules & Guidelines, A Complete Guide to the Rules Governing the ACH Network as follows (incorporated by reference in §162.920)—

- (A) NACHA Operating Rules, Appendix One: ACH File Exchange Specifications; and
- (B) NACHA Operating Rules, Appendix Three: ACH Record Format Specifications, Subpart 3.1.8 Sequence of Records for CCD Entries.
- (ii) For the CCD Addenda Record ("7"), field 3, of the standard identified in 1602(d)(1)(i), the Accredited Standards Committee (ASC) X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3, "Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835), April 2006: Section 2.4: 835 Segment Detail: "TRN Reassociation Trace Number," Washington Publishing Company, 005010X221 (Incorporated by reference in §162.920).
- (2) For transmissions described in §162.1601(b), including when transmissions as described in §162.1601(a) and (b) are contained within the same transmission, the ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3, "Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835), April 2006, ASC X12N/005010X221. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920).

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§ 162.1603 Operating rules for health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction.

On and after January 1, 2014, the Secretary adopts the following for the health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction:

- (a) The Phase III CORE EFT & ERA Operating Rule Set, Approved June 2012 (Incorporated by reference in §162.920) which includes the following rules:
- (1) Phase III CORE 380 EFT Enrollment Data Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
- (2) Phase III CORE 382 ERA Enrollment Data Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
- (3) Phase III 360 CORE Uniform Use of CARCs and RARCs (835) Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.

- (4) CORE-required Code Combinations for CORE-defined Business Scenarios for the Phase III CORE 360 Uniform Use of Claim Adjustment Reason Codes and Remittance Advice Remark Codes (835) Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
- (5) Phase III CORE 370 EFT & ERA Reassociation (CCD+/835) Rule, version 3.0.0. June 2012.
- (6) Phase III CORE 350 Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835) Infrastructure Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012, except Requirement 4.2 titled "Health Care Claim Payment/Advice Batch Acknowledgement Requirements".
- (b) ACME Health Plan, CORE v5010 Master Companion Guide Template, 005010, 1.2, March 2011 (incorporated by reference in §162.920), as required by the Phase III CORE 350 Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835) Infrastructure Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.

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Subpart Q—Health Plan Premium Payments

§ 162.1701 Health plan premium payments transaction.

The health plan premium payment transaction is the transmission of any of the following from the entity that is arranging for the provision of health care or is providing health care coverage payments for an individual to a health plan:

- (a) Payment.
- (b) Information about the transfer of funds.
- (c) Detailed remittance information about individuals for whom premiums are being paid.
- (d) Payment processing information to transmit health care premium payments including any of the following:
 - (1) Payroll deductions.
 - (2) Other group premium payments.
- (3) Associated group premium payment information.

§ 162.1702 Standards for health plan premium payments transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for the health plan premium payments transaction:

(a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009: The ASC X12N 820—Payroll Deducted and Other